(घ) यदि हां, तो इसके क्या कारण है?

वित्त मंत्रालय (बैंकिंग, राजस्व तथा बीमा) में राज्य मंत्री (श्री कादम्बूर एम०आर० जनार्दनन): (क) से (घ) भारतीय रिजर्व बैंक की आंकड़ा निगरानी प्रणाली से मांगे गए तरीके के अनुसार सूचना नहीं प्राप्त होती है। दिनांक 31.3.1998 की स्थिति के अनुसार, सरकारी क्षेत्र के 27 बैंकों की 44800 शाखाओं के भौगोलिक विस्तार को ध्यान में रखते हुए इस तथ्य को ध्यान में रखते हुए कि बैंकों ने विभिन्न स्तरों पर शाखा प्रबंधकों द्वारा ऋणों को स्वीकृत करने के लिए शक्तियां प्रत्यायोजित कर दी हैं और साथ ही खातों की अत्यधिक संख्या के कारण जिनमें से प्रत्येक में बकाया राशि एक लाख रु० से अधिक होगी, इन बैंकों के क्षेत्रीय शाखाओं से सूचना एकत्र करने का कार्य प्राप्त होने वाले परिणामों के अनुरूप नहीं होगा।

Finalisation of claim bills by National Insurance Company, Rajendra Place, New Delhi

1016. SHRIMATI MALTI SHARMA: SHRI RAJ NATH SINGH:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the criteria adopted by National Insurance Company, Rajendra Place, New Delhi for finalising the claim bills;

(b) the details of cases pending with NIC since August, 1998 till date, bill and month-wise; and

(c) by when all these bills would be finalised?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (BANKING, REVENUE AND INSURANCE) (SHRI KADAMBUR M.R. JANARTHANAN): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Income tax raids on MNCs.

1017. SHRI GHUFRAN AZAM: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Income Tax authorities in Delhi have conducted raids at MNCs in the month of September this year and found tax irregularities worth crores of rupees as reported in the Hindustan Times dated the 4th September, 1998;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the involved MNCs would be blacklisted and they would not be linked with Government on business issues; and

(d) if so, whether any further action would be initiated against them as per laws; and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (BANKING, REVENUE AND INSURANCE) (SHRI KADAMBUR M.R. JANARTHANAN): (a) and (b) The offices of some foreign companies were surveyed by the Income Tax authorities in Delhi in connection with non-deduction and non-payment of Taxes deducted at Source. The name of the Companies are given in the Statement. (*See* below)

(c) The Income-Tax Law does not provide for black-listing of companies or preventing such companies from doing business with the Government of India.

(d) Whenever there is short deduction of taxes at source or short-payment of taxes deducted at source, these are required to be made good along with interest according to law.

All such cases are also examined from the point of view of initiating penalties and prosecutions according to law.

Statement

S.No.	Name of the Company
1.	The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi Ltd., New Delhi Branch
2.	Japan Airlines
3.	L.G. Electronics
4.	Samsung Electronics
5.	Lufthansa Airlines
6.	The Sakura Bank Ltd., New Delhi
7.	The Sanwa Bank Ltd., New Delhi
8.	National Panasonic India Ltd.
9.	Matsushita Electric Co. New Delhi

S.No.	Name of the Company
10.	All Nippon Airways
11.	Erricsson Communications
12.	IHI
13.	Hyundai Motors
14.	Denso India
15.	Hyatt Regency Hotel
16.	Business India TV

Approval to Tripura Government for Increasing Market Borrowings

1018. SHRI KHAGEN DAS: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government of Tripura has got the approval of the Central Government for increasing market borrowings during 1998-99;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reaction of the Central Government to this proposal?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI YASHWANT SINHA): (a) to (c) The level of net market borrowings allocated to Tripura for the year 1998-99 was Rs. 60.00 crores. Taking into account repayments, the gross market borrowing requirement worked out to Rs. 67.43 crores. This amount has since been raised by the Government of Tripura, to which, Government of India have conveyed consent under Article 293(3) of the Constitution of India.

Financial Assistance given by Public Sector Financial Institutions in Gujarat

1019. SHRI PRAFULL GORADIA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of financial assistance given by public sector financial institutions like LIC, Industrial Finance Corporation of India, IDBI, NABARD etc. to Gujarat during each of the last two years;

(b) whether the assistance is very low in comparison to the other states; and

(c) if so, the steps being taken to improve the position?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (BANKING, REVENUE AND INSURANCE) (SHRI KADAMBUR M.R. JANARTHANAN): (a) As per information received from Industrial Development Bank of India (IDBI), the details of financial assistance given by All India Financial Institutions (AFIs) *viz.*, IDBI, IFCI, SIDBI, IIBI, RCTC, TDICI, TFCI, LIC, UTI, GIC and also NABARD to the industries in Gujarat during the last 2 years *i.e.* 1996-97 and 1997-98 is as under:

(Rs. Crores)

Year	Assistance Sanctioned AIFIs	NABARD	Total
1996-97	8508.60	725.49	9234.09
1997-98	12862.90	744.97	13607.87

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

देश में लगाए गए कर

1020. **श्री कपिल सिब्बलः**
श्री बलवन्त सिंह रामूवालियाः

क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे किः

(क) क्या यह सच है कि देश में विभिन्न प्रकार के कर लगाए जाते हैं;

(ख) यदि हां, तो केन्द्रीय सरकार द्वारा लगाए जाने वाले कर कौन-कौन से हैं;

(ग) क्या यह भी सच है कि सरकार ने इन करों को वसूल करने के लिए दरें तय कर रखी हैं;

(घ) यदि हां, तो मार्च, 1998 तक निर्धारित दरों के अनुसार कुल करों की बकाया राशि क्या थी;

(ङ) सितम्बर, 1998 में कितनी बकाया कर-राशि का अनुमान है?

वित्त मंत्रालय बैंकिंग, राजस्व तथा बीमा में राज्य मंत्री (श्री कादम्बूर एम०आर० जनार्दनन): (क) जी हां।